GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2276
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RIGHT TO INFORMATION
Yadav Shri Baleshwar

Will the Minister of PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Supreme Court has issued notice to the Government in regard to delay in issuance of notification for enforcement of law pertaining to right to information;

(b) if so, the reasons for delay in enforcement of this law; and

(c) the time by which the Government proposes to clear its position in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTRY AFFAIRS.(SHRI SURESH PACHOURI)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c): With a view to make the legislation on the `Right to Information` more progressive, participatory and meaningful, Government is working on a more comprehensive `Freedom/Right to Information Act`.